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## FRIDAY OR BUST



HOPE YOUR WEEKEND  
WAS A FINE ONE!

FRIDAY RADIO

6954.4 kHz USB

2343 - 0024 UTC

Friday

October 13, 1995

QSL VERIFICATION

Number 27

from the desk of the Managing Editor

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Yes, I know the last issue said May on the front cover. Might as well have been May, considering the amount of rain we've been having (again – yikes!). I don't recall too many mid-Junes when I've had to break out a sweatshirt to be comfortable, either. Hope it's more like summer wherever you're listening to the pirates, without all the static crashes, of course...

A huge thanks goes out to Scruffy Swab of Ironman Radio for all the effort he put into the recent Pirate Radio Listeners Contest, and for the great T-shirt he awarded to the winner. There were only three entries, due to poor conditions, however. Better luck next time. Now if I could just catch up with all my supposed bingo winnings... ;)

July already. Hope you're setting aside some time to check or improve your antenna system before those dad-ratted winter winds blow again.

Onward!

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## DiaLogs

July, 2004

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### Format of a log entry:

Date Heard / Time Heard (in UTC) / Frequency (in kHz) / Mode / Details of Transmission

### Modes:

A = AM F = FM L = Lower Sideband U = Upper Sideband

### Reporting a signal's quality:

The simplest way of doing this is to judge the signal as being "Poor", "Fair" or "Good" and reporting it as such.

If you're one of them highfalutin' types with radios that are smarter'n your dawg, you probably use the SIO system

S = Signal (strength)

I = Interference

O = Overall (quality)

- S, I and O are all rated between 0 and 5, 0 being worst, 5 being best. (As I recall, there were written tables for these values but I haven't seen one in a very long time. If you have the details somewhere, send 'em along to me!)

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## LATE LOGS

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### Undercover Radio

- 05/18/04, 0103-0130\*, 6925U. (CL-MA 343)

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## FROM ACROSS THE POND

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### Crazy Wave Radio (Eisenach)

- 05/30/04, 0414-0500+, 6305A – mx – Weezer, AC/DC. Frequent IDs and phone # given. Perhaps the station that we've noted on 6220 of late? (CL-MA 322)

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## NORTH/SOUTH AMERICAN LOGGINGS

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### Black Mountain Radio/WBMR ([wbmrradio@hotmail.com](mailto:wbmrradio@hotmail.com))

- 05/25/04, 0242-0231\*, 6925A – mx – Rock, Rap. OM anncr with ID and email address. (RD-PA Fair)
- 05/31/04, 0518-0550\*, 6925A – mx – Rock. Beavis and Butthead clips. Off with harmonica music. (CL-MA 232)

### Grasscutter Radio (FRN)

- 06/05/04, 2253-2321, 6950U – mx – Blondie. (AF Fair) (WS-TN Good)
- 06/06/04, 0000, 6950U – mx – Jeff Beck. (WH-IL Fair)

### Indira Calling (Providence)

- 06/05/04, 0153-0225, 6925A – mx – Indian. Noisy signal. The good Sanjay is our host. (AF Poor)(WS-TN Good)(MT-WI 122)
- 06/06/04, \*0200-0224\*, 6925A – mx – Indian, Beach Boys. Discussions of *roti*, sitars and George Zeller. (GZ-OH 343)

### Iron Man Radio (ironman6925@hotmail.com/Belfast)

- 05/27/04, 0001-0035\*, 6925A – Scruffy Swab is running a contest wherein you match a tune with a Pirate station, example – “Free” by Train goes with – a) Big Thunder Radio, b) WHYP, c) Undercover Radio. (CL-MA 333)

### Radio FCC (???)

- 05/29/04, 0302-0328, 6925U – mx – oldies (“ABC”, “Judy’s Turn to Cry”, “Hush-a-Bye”) with brief “Radio FCC” IDs interspersed. (MT-WI 133)(WH-IL Fair)

### Radio Free Ancaster (Merlin)

- 05/29/04, 0224-0339, 6925U – a seemingly live broadcast of guitar mx and two YL vocalists. Dead air in between tunes and incorrect frequency announcements (6920kHz). Nice, live alternative music. Mx played over the speech made ID’ing difficult. (CL-MA 444)(MT-WI 233)(RD-PA Fair)

### Ragnar Radio (ragnarradio@yahoo.com)

- 05/23/04, 2200-2203\*, 6925U – weak signal, couple of IDs heard. (GZ-OH Poor)
- 06/06/04, 0000, 6928A – announced as the 19<sup>th</sup> show, “Redneck Revival”, playing bluegrass covers of hard rock tunes. Signal seemed to be carrier plus USB only. (WH-IL Fair)
- 06/06/04, 0150, 6950U – SSTV, flag image. (WS-TN Fair)

### Take It Easy Radio (Merlin)

- 05/31/04, 0225-0315, 6925U – see next.
- 05/31/04, 0358-0443+, 6925U – mx- patriotic. Memorial Day special with speech by FDR, Adrian Cronauer clips. Noted that TIER was broadcasting from Radio Free America tonight. Probable repeat of an earlier program. (MT-WI 133)(WH-IL Poor)
- 06/13/04, 0150-0204, 6925U – mx – “Everyone plays the Fool”. Fansome for President, a message for Commander Bunny. Off with TIER’s traditional signoff tune. (MT-WI 133)
- 06/14/04, 0137-0207, 6925U – “Fansome for President” speech. (WS-TN Good)

### The Border Radio (borderradio@hushmail.com)

- 06/19/04, 0255, 6925U – skits, “hypno-rock” (AF Poor)

### The Voice Of The Puma (Unknown)

- 05/21/04, 0131-0147, 6925A – mx – “Time to Blackout”. (WS-TN Good)

### Undercover Radio (undercoverradio@mail.com/Merlin)

- 05/29/04, 0125-0224\*, 6925U – mx – New Age. Martians are heard, Doctor Benway encourages us to relax. (GZ-OH 242)
- 05/30/04, \*0010-0144\*, 6925U – mx – Who, Donovan, Zeppelin. A test transmission. (GZ-OH 242)(MT-WI 122)(WH-IL Poor)
- 05/30/04, \*0228-0414\*, 6925U – Burroughs narration, ID by the good Doctor Benway. Suggestions are made to destroy Commander Bunny; “links” in California are mentioned. (CL-MA 343)(GZ-OH 242)(MT-WI 144)(WH-IL Fair)

### United Patriot Militia Bingo (Merlin)

- 06/03/04, 0057-0130+, 6925A – a repeat show with Bingo madness, clips from Colonel Steve Anderson and a cameo appearance by Alan Masyga. (CL-MA 343)

### Viet Nam First Termer (none, very old tape)

- 05/29/04, 2242-2325\*, 6925U – mx – 60’s Rock. An enterprising American soldier is rewarded, ad for Acapulco Gold, ID as above and a slogan of “Viet Nam’s only psychedelic FM stereo!” An interesting QSL card is proffered. No address given. (GZ-OH 242)

- 05/31/04, 0300, 6925U – AFRS Viet Nam w/Troggs, Canned Heat. (WH-IL Fair) [ed note: Wasn’t it AFVN? jia]

### WHYP (whyp6925@yahoo.com/)

- 05/26/04, 0115-0205, 6925A – JB with music, audio loops and recommendations for Chris Lobdell’s CDs of Pirate programming. (MT-WI 223)
- 05/29/04, 0212-0322, 6925A – mx – New Age, Rock. Ad for Boxcar Willie. The Voice of George Zeller is heard. (WH-IL Good)(MT-WI 444)(RD-PA Good)
- 05/31/04, 0133-0140, 6925A – JB with his classic “Who wants to be a Pirate Radio operator?” sketch. (MT-WI 323)
- 06/01/04, 0150-0224, 6925A – JB with various clips and truly, truly heinous karaoke singing. (I know – sounds like a tomcat with its nuts caught in the door, don’t it? – Lee) JB requests reports on the show and reception reports. (MT-WI 121)
- 06/02/04, 0115-0200+, 6925A – JB discusses his production/editing setup. (CL-MA 232)
- 06/08/04, 0016, 6925A – mx – “Heading Out on the 401”, “The Old Man Down the Road”. (AF Good)
- 06/08/04, 0214, 6925A – we hear host James Brownyard saying he’ll be back in a month or so, perhaps. (AF Good)

### WMFQ (Providence)

- 06/04/04, 0153-0232, 6925L – mx – ELO, Phil Collins, Beatles. Usual chorused IDs, some with references to Sal Amoniac and Alan Maxwell. (CL-MA 343 – Chris reported AM) (AF Good)(MT-WI 233)

### WMPR (FRN)

- 05/24/04, 0110-0115\*, 6925A – mx – Techno. “You’re invited!” ID. Slightly over modulated. (CL-MA 444)(GZ-OH 333)(WS-TN Good)
- 05/30/04, 0158-0229, 6955A – mx – Techno. IDs, off. (MT-WI 233)(RD-PA Good)
- 05/30/04, 2357-0005, 6955A – mx – Techno. (CL-MA 343)
- 06/01/04, 0139-0208, 6955A – mx – not quite the usual type, but good. (AF Good)(WH-IL Good)

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## TENTATIVE/UNIDENTIFIED

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### Italy?

- 06/05/04, 2302-0300+, 6220A – mx – Pop. Possible voice. (CL-MA 343)

### SSTV Station?

- 06/05/04, 0051, 6950U – SSTV transmission only showing the infamous Bozo “No Pets” sign, assorted pills, cannabis and others. (AF Good)
- 06/05/04, 0130-0142, 6950U – more SSTV drug images. (WS-TN Fair)

### Sycko Radio?

- 06/03/04, 0203, 6950U – mx – “Duelling Banjos”. Repeated phrases that were too noisy to make out. Guess is Sycko. (AF Poor)

### UNID

- 05/20/04, 2313-0006\*, 6925U – various clips including – “Rocky & Bullwinkle”, Steve Martin, Glenn Hauser (WoR), Artie Johnson. No ID, off after Acapulco Gold jingle. (RD-PA Fair)
- 05/30/04, 0215-0227\*, 6950U – old time radio with host in EE at 0227 when carrier was cut. (RD-PA Fair)
- 06/01/04, 0030, 6950U – political rant. (WH-IL Fair)
- 06/01/04, 0115-0125, 6925U – robotic voices speaking in code. Language training spoof. (AF Poor)(We got pills to fix that kind of thing, Al!)(WH-IL Fair)
- 06/05/04, \*0102-0108\*, 6925A – OM anncr delivering random phrases in EE. Cadence of delivery similar to a numbers station but not, it seems, intended as a parody of such. (GZ-OH 242)

- 06/05/04, 0149-0218, 6950U – old time radio show “Country of the Blind”, something about scaling a mountain at the end. Suggested that listeners visit an old time radio web site (AF Fair)(WS-TN Fair)(MT-WI 122)
- 06/05/04, 0532-0536, 6925A – broadcast in a strange language – sounded backwards. (WS-TN Good)
- 06/06/04, 0058-0101, 6925U – indistinct talk and mx, off. (MT-WI 221)
- 06/07/04, 0110-0145, 6925U – mx – soft rock. (WH-IL Good)(AF Fair)(WS-TN Good)(MT-WI 122)
- 06/07/04, 0152-0216, 6925U – old time radio show “Box 13”. (AF Poor)(WS-TN Good)(MT-WI 123)
- 06/08/04, 0230-0304, 6925U – mx – Nirvana, “Addams Family” theme tune. Brief talk in high OM voice, then brief talk in low OM voice. Number of short audio loops. (CL-MA 343)(MT-WI 133)
- 06/11/04, 0107, 6925U – mx – movie themes. “What’s the hassle, man?” (AF Poor)
- 06/11/04, 0119-0120, 6925U – “Yay, I got mail!” Acapulco Good jingle. (WS-TN Good)
- 06/17/04, 0119, 6925U – random clips, very noisy. (AF Poor)
- 06/17/04, 0140, 6925U – random movie audio clips, two movie theme tunes, off with Gomer Pyle. (MT-WI 233)

## MAIL DROPS

These are the relevant – for this month – addresses to which you should send your reports as appropriate (along with at least three first class stamps to handle mailing costs) if you're doing things by snail mail or if the station doesn't use email.

Don't forget that foreign drops need IRCs or dollar bills instead of US postage stamps.

Semi-foreign drops (read: Canadians) need cash or IRCs but might accept cowrie shells, beads or small hand mirrors. Poutine is an accepted medium of exchange *only* within the province of Quebec.

Of course, if you really want to cover all the bases – get with it and spend the vast sum of \$49 bucks (after rebate) for a WebTV box – as time goes by, more and more of the QSL business is being transacted via email.

Belfast: Box 1, Belfast, NY 14711

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## TEN (and TWENTY) YEARS AFTER...

The July 1984 monthly ACE was 20 pages with a studio photo and bio from The Key Largo Station, or KLS, on the cover. DiaLogs was 7 pages of hot tips including 1 NAm MW, 3 NAm FM, 19 NAm SW, 1 Euro (Dublin), 9 Clandestines, and 4 unIDs from 25 contributors.

The July 1994 ACE was 24 pages with a sample QSL sheet from KGUN America emblazoned on the front. DiaLogs was 8 pages filled with the latest loggings of 45 (yes, forty-five!) NAm SW, 1 foreign (KIWI), and 10 unIDs from at least 18 reporters.

## RAMBLINGS

Just in case you wonder why the names of stations may be similar, but not the same, from month to month, well – some stations have very well known and defined identities; some are little known by comparison. For the well-known ones it's easy to correct an incorrect name in a report – for the less well-known ones I tend to leave 'em alone and type 'em up exactly as received – I don't want to go and make a “correction” that turns out to be incorrect. Same thing applies to dates, times, frequencies – if I get two logs that are similar but there's a gap of, say, twenty minutes between one log and the other, I won't roll them into one because I can't make the assumption that the loggings were one transmission.

Not too bad a turnout this time through – more activity reported than last month as well. As ever, thanks to all of you who took the time to send in your logs.

Well, here we are again – summer! Time to go out, get eaten alive by bugs and sweat yer collective \*sses off! Or stay inside and listen to the endless static on the radio. Yay! Don't forget that July Fourth can display quite a bit of Pirate activity, so try to make sure that you put a little time in on the radio on the Saturday and Sunday evenings of the weekend. (I'm going to try to listen - I got an improved random length wire up a few days ago but I can't do anything about the horrible RF noise levels in the vicinity – it's *hard* to copy anyone when the hash is across the entire SW spectrum – waaaaah!)

Yours truly ponied up the money to pay a poor, starving, lawyer's country club fees a few weeks ago and sic'ed him on my darling ex! I figure she won't need any Metamucil for a while after having the Sullivan County Sheriff's boys knocking on her door last week and serving papers. Laugh? I almost had to change my pants! Almost as funny as the time Krusty got his nose hair caught in his electric razor! I'm not betting on it, but I *am* hoping that maybe, just this time, there'll be some justice in the world...

See? Where else but in the ACE do you get not only cheap paper for the outhouse nail but also Pirate info *and* domestic drama? Laugh, cry, have a good bowel movement and renew...

## STATISTICS

Nope, not this time. Other things I have to get done.

## PROPAGATION

### What it be:

Okay, just like the sea, radio waves below a certain frequency display tide-like behavior that is dependent upon the time of day at your location and at the target location. (*Arrr, me hearties – 'tis a most appropriate metaphor!*) Listen for a given area at one time and you'll hear nothing. Listen, say, twelve hours later and you'll find what you're looking for. That's a real simple description of a very complex subject.

The tables below can be looked upon as being like tide charts for a certain part of the world and a certain frequency. The higher the “tide” displayed, the better the radio path between the two points on the chart at that time on that frequency.



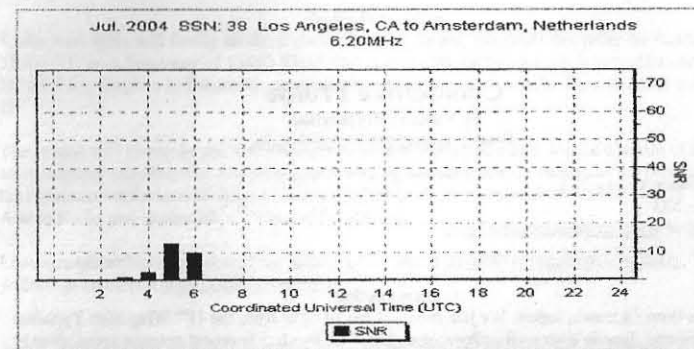
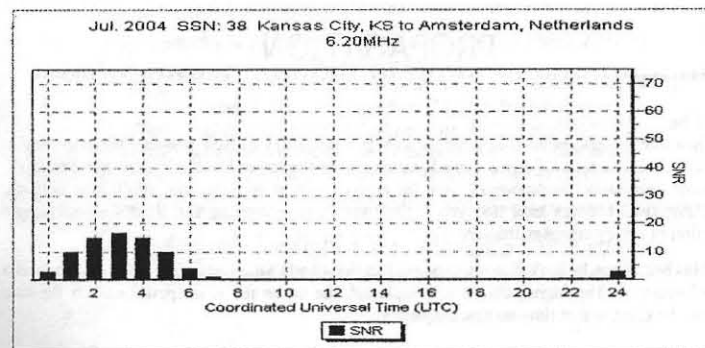
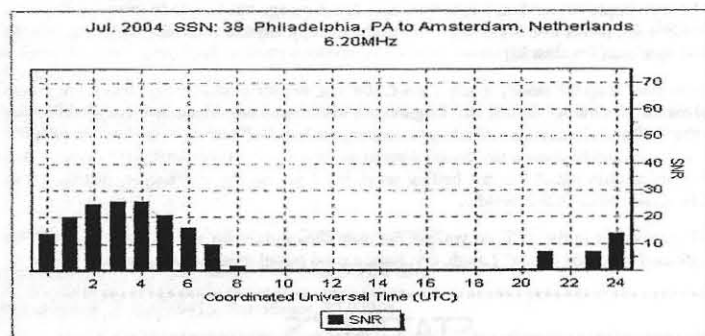
To try to provide useful propagation for the ACE readership I cover the most common Pirate frequencies month by month and I produce tables that roughly divide the USA into eastern, central and western sections and the propagation paths between them.

If you live, say, in Boston and want to try to listen for KMUD out in the western part of the country, you would check the table that says "Philadelphia, PA to Los Angeles, CA". This chart shows the radio "tides" between the two points that approximate where you are and where KMUD might be. Now look at the height of the bars – between 0200 and 0900 (that's UTC) looks to offer the best east-west listening path for you. Likewise, 1600-2100 might not be the best time to listen.

*Caveat: These charts are rough guides only – radio propagation is even stranger than a Republican Senator who believes that poor folk need a break more than the obscenely wealthy do – you sometimes hear the darnedest things come out of nowhere when you least expect it. Use them as a guide but don't let it stop you listening for a target when it says propagation is at its poorest – just use them as indicators of "best chances"!*

If you want to do more serious reading about propagation the book "The New Shortwave Propagation Handbook" is a pretty good read on the subject and even us po' folks who can't afford RX-340s can understand it!

This month, for the masochists amongst us, it's NA to Holland on 6.2 MHz. 6.2 to 6.3 is where you'll find all those tasty little Europirates hanging out. That is, unless you're in California or renting a townhouse in the same development as me – in which case you'd do better to drink that mysterious bottle of whatever it is in the back of the fridge and go watch Jerry Springer...



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July 2004

### under the door... the QSL report

**Rich D'Angelo** chimes in with a full data "map" eQSL from KRMI for the St Pat's broadcast in 25 days, and a full data paper card from Ragnar Radio saying 150 watts into a dipole in 23 days.

**Chris Lobdell** snagged a beautiful "Moon over Mountain" eQSL from WBMR (too bad it won't reproduce well in black & white! jta) signed by Mike O. Farad, and a full data "Mr Natural" card (#45) from Ironman Radio in a couple weeks.

**Woody Smith** let us know about a full data card from FRS Holland saying 300 watts in about five months.

**Ye Olde Editore** was overwhelmed with a full data "Mr Natural" card (#44) and contest winner's T-shirt from Ironman Radio in about two weeks. Very nice shirt, and even the correct size! Thanks, Scruffy.

'zit for now. Let's see **your** name and QSLs here next month. jta

## Clandestine Profile

by Vincent R. Havrilko

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Active Clandestines - 164

Inactive - 522

(Courtesy of [www.clandestineradio.com](http://www.clandestineradio.com))

### Introduction

Greetings from Okinawa, Japan! We just received the all clear from the 18<sup>th</sup> Wing after Typhoon Dianmu passed directly over us Sunday morning at 0200 local. My recent antenna installation is still holding up well and so is the large banana spider that has used part of it as its home! Looks like we are getting the sorely needed rain after the winter drought depleted reservoirs by 50%. We're between 70-80% and should see full capacity next month. I welcome all A\*C\*E\* members to send in their loggings and other pertinent information to the e-mail address above.

### WinRadio G303i Update

I lost the CD that contained the Professional Demodulator (PD) portion of my G303i. I didn't realize it until I upgraded to a newer Dell Dimension desktop and needed to reload the software. Fortunately, I recovered the files from a backup disk and now I'm back in business. The unit fits much better in the Dimension than it did in the Optiplex. I contacted WinRadio and at first they refused to replace the disk unless I paid full price which was \$199! The website only offered the standard demodulator which didn't activate the PD feature of the receiver. After some coaxing, they relented and offered to send me a replacement CD for \$69. I'm definitely going to make a backup of this and lock it in my fireproof safe along with all the other software. I definitely appreciate Win Radio's customer service since its not standard practice to replace software at other than full price.

### This Month's Features

This month's column will include some quick loggings of the two longstanding diehard Korean clandestine stations that operate on a more or less regular schedule. Sorry, I didn't have time to log any of the more challenging ones due to work and off-duty education commitments but I continue to try and squeeze as much time as I can. Lately I've been concentrating on a few stations and leaving the radio on while I work on my online degree program. The remainder of the column will have station profiles, recent loggings, and applicable updates from Radio Free Syria, Radio Pedar, and Radio Arab-Saharan Democratic Republic by other DX'ers courtesy of [Clandestineradio.com](http://Clandestineradio.com).

### Loggings

Here are a few of my personal loggings this month:

Echo of Hope / 6.348 / KK / 6-11 / 1107 / 433 / AM / OM & YL w/ tk in KK over moderate jamming QRM

VO the People / 6.600 / KK / 6-11 / 1110 / 443 / AM / YL w/ tk in KK over slight jammer QRM

VO the People / 3.912 / KK / 6-11 / 1208 / 433 / AM / OM w/ tk in KK; mx; moderate jamming QRM

Echo of Hope / 3.985 / KK / 6-11 / 1213 / 433 / AM / OM & YL w/ tk in KK; no jamming QRM but heterodyne QRM

### Radio Free Syria

Radio Free Syria will finally hit the airwaves on 20 June and broadcast thereafter on Sunday's at 1800 UTC on a frequency of 13650 KHz. The purpose behind this station is to weaken Assad's Ba'ath Party Regime in Damascus and promote democracy. Good luck! They're going to need it!

The station will be run by the Syrians themselves and it's hoped that it will be a breath of fresh air in contrast with the state-run propaganda serving to strengthen the ruling Ba'ath party line by the incessant intolerance of radical Islamic fundamentalism excreted from outlets such as The Arabic Radio and Hezbollah's TV and radio stations.

Listeners are welcome to contact the station via e-mail at [webmaster@radiofreesyria.org](mailto:webmaster@radiofreesyria.org). Their website is located at [www.radiofreesyria.org](http://www.radiofreesyria.org).

### Iran

Radio Pedar, also known as Father Radio, is affiliated with an organization called the Royalists (Saltanat Talaban) with relay transmitters located in the United Kingdom. The program language is Farsi and the station has been active since March 2004. The contact address is: 6203 B. Variel Avenue, Woodland Hills, CA 91367, USA; E-mail: [info@channelonetv.com](mailto:info@channelonetv.com), [feedback@channelonetv.com](mailto:feedback@channelonetv.com).

A recent logging of Radio Pedar was by a Massachusetts DX'er on April 1<sup>st</sup> at 1730 UTC sign-on. The program consisted of an English discussion on women's rights with occasional brief segments by OM in Farsi. The remainder of the program was a mix of music and talk, then mention of Los Angeles, and off in mid-program at 1830 UTC.

### Western Sahara (de facto)

Our last station feature for this column is National Radio of the Arab-Saharan Democratic Republic. This station is affiliated with the Polisario Front, which is backed by Algeria against Moroccan control of Western Sahara. The station represents the exiled Western Saharan government. The location is speculated to be from Algeria or Bir Lehlou, Morocco. The broadcast languages are in Arabic and Spanish. The known frequencies used have been 11520, 11320, 11800, 11610 KHz. Their contact address is: B.P. 10, El Mouradia, 16000 Algiers, Algeria. The identification in Arabic is al-Idhaat al-Wataniyah li-Jumhuriyah al-Arabiyah al-Sahrawiyah al-Dimokratiyah and the Spanish ID is Esta es Radio Nacional de la Republica Arabe Saharawi. The station has been active since December 1975.

The latest known logging of this station is from a New Hampshire DX'er on 6 April from 2122 - 2212 UTC on 7460 KHz. There was some co-channel QRM from WWCN. The program consisted of an YL and OM with a long interview, music and an ID at 2145 UTC. It seems no Spanish was heard in the broadcast.

Look forward to hearing from you,

73's and Good DX,

Vince

# the ASSOCIATION of CLANDESTINE radio ENTHUSIASTS

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The A\*C\*E is an association of individuals who find pirate, clandestine and covert communications an interesting part of their radio listening hobby. The primary existence of the club revolves around the publication of a monthly bulletin, The A\*C\*E. The bulletin reports on pirate, clandestine, covert and other unexplained broadcasts. Also, the readers are provided with other available material concerning motives, explanations and the theories behind these various broadcasts and broadcasters. The ACE as an organization, does not encourage, support or condone any illegal activity; we simply seek to understand the nature and reasoning behind such broadcasts. If your interests include listening to pirate radio stations, clandestine broadcasts and covert communications, The A\*C\*E is for you!

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